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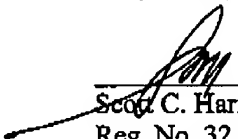
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In response to the official action mailed 07/24/02, paper
no. 9 in the above referenced case, please amend the application
as follows:

In the specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 8
with the following rewritten paragraph:

B1
The final device forms a standard type CMOS die in a
totally clear package as shown in Figure 1. The CMOS dies, is,
for example, a photosensitive device with electrical
connections, for example, an active pixel sensor. The perimeter
of the device has these electrical connections, which are
connected to the electrical connections 108 on the image sensor
chip.

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